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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application Number	10/757714	Docket Number	NEXTIO.0300
Filed	1/14/04	Group Art Unit	2661
Examiner	BRIAN NGUYEN	Customer No.	23669
Application Title	METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR SHARED I/O IN A LOAD/STORE FABRIC		
First Named Inventor	CHRISTOPHER PETTEY		

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Mail Stop **AMENDMENT**  
Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows:

- ☐ One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) \$120
- ☐ Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) \$450
- ☒ Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) \$1,020
- ☐ Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) \$1,590
- ☐ Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) \$2,160
- ☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is \$510.
- ☒ A check including the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- ☐ A Credit Card Payment Form (PTO-2038) authorizing a charge including the amount of the fee is enclosed.

I am the:

- ☒ attorney or agent of record.
- ☐ attorney or agent of under 37 CFR 1.34(a).

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JAMES W. HUFFMAN

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Respectfully submitted,  
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